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Group Art Unit: 1642

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Examiner: Larry R. Helms

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Title: PRODUCTION OF TETRAVALENT ANTIBODIES

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.323

ATTN: Certificate of Correction Branch

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.323, patentees respectfully request that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-identified patent to correct two typographical errors in claims 5 and 24 and an omission of four (4) references which should appear in the "References Cited" section of the issued patent. Form PTO/SB/44 is attached, showing the necessary correction.

Specifically, it is requested that "C2B8" be amended to recite "2B8" in claims 5 and 24, and to add the Caron et al., Cumber et al., Amit et al., and Rudikoff et al. references to the Other Publications portion of the References Cited section. The proposed corrections do not constitute new matter or require reexamination.

In support of this request, patentees note that support for "2B8" can be found, for example, in column 3, lines 26 and 28 and column 5, line 67 of the issued patent. C2B8 refers to the *chimeric* monoclonal antibody derived from the murine antibody 2B8. In claims 5 and 24, the antibody referred to is a murine antibody. Accordingly, the antibody referred to should be the 2B8 antibody.

Furthermore, in the official action mailed October 25, 2000 (Part of Paper No. 6), the examiner cited several references in a PTO-892 form. Four of these references do not appear

in the References Cited section of the issued patent. A copy of the pertinent pages listing the four references which do not appear in the References Cited portion of the patent are enclosed for your convenience. Accordingly, patentees respectfully request the addition of the four references to the References Cited section of the issued patent.

Because one of the above-noted errors was due to the patentees' mistake, a fee transmittal authorizing payment of the processing fee of \$100.00 (37 C.F.R. §1.20(a)) is enclosed. Although the patentees believe no additional fee is due for the processing of this request, should the Patent Office determine otherwise, such fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 33975 under Order No. 037003-0277113.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 5, column 27, line 60, replace "C2B8" with -- 2B8 --.

In claim 24, column 28, line 65, replace "C2B8" with -- 2B8 --.

On page 2, please add the following references under the section entitled "OTHER PUBLICATIONS":

Caron et al., J. Exp. Med. 176:1191-95 (1992).*

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